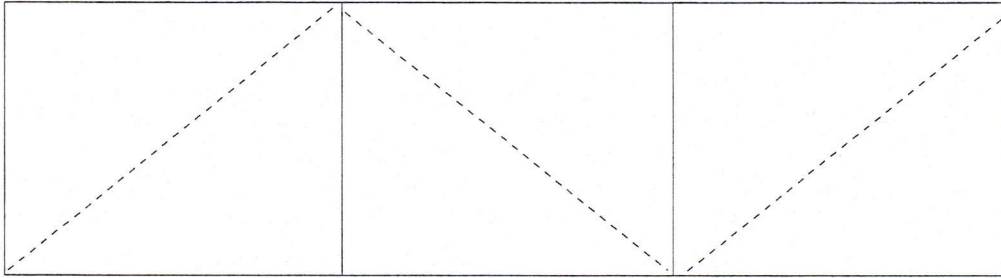
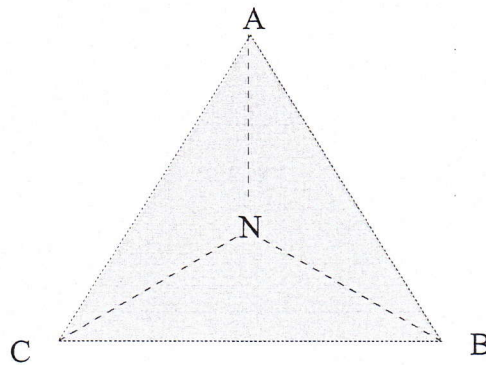


## Dragon Boats

1. Cut a rectangular piece of medium weight cardboard three times as long as it is wide. (ex: 3" x 1", 4.5" x 1.5", or 6" x 2")
2. Score the cardboard to make three squares. Then score a zigzag pattern across the squares as shown. The zigzag line must stretch from corner to corner in each of the three squares.



3. Fold the cardboard to form a point at the top, a point at the bottom and three points around the center. For purpose of these directions it will be a point at the north pole, a point at the south pole and three points along the equator. Tape all the edges with masking tape so they are smooth. Make sure the points are covered in tape.
4. Place a straight pin through each point. It is easier if the pin has a ball head on it or decorative beads are placed on the pins.
5. Wrap yarn around pins to cover the cardboard moving between the pins on the equator and the north pole pin. Tape end of yarn along A-N line with the end pointing to the north pole (N). Wrap yarn around pin A on the equator; back up to and around N; then back down and around B, the next pin on the equator. Continue in this way – A to N to B to N to C to N and so on.



6. Continue in this order until the entire shape is covered. The yarn will begin by weaving around the north pole, gradually expanding to wrap itself across the equator to the south pole.
7. To change colors simply cut off your yarn, tape down the end of that yarn and the end of the new yarn at the same point. Make sure to never place tape on the fold lines from the equator to the south pole as these lines are visible on the finished piece.